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APPLICANT: MESSIER

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TITLE:

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METHODS TO IDENTIFY EVOLUTIONARILY

SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN POLYNUCLEOTIDE

AND POLYPEPTIDE SEQUENCES IN

DOMESTICATED PLANTS AND ANIMALS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a three month extension of time, to and including September 4, 2002 to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed April 4, 2002. The extension fee of \$460.00 is enclosed herewith. The undersigned hereby authorizes the charge of any required fees not included or any deficiency of fees submitted herewith to be charged to deposit account No. 19-5117.

Respectfully submitted,

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